

CALIFORNIA CODES
PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE
Water Code Section 79540

79540. (a) The sum of one hundred million dollars (\$100,000,000) shall be available for appropriation by the Legislature from the fund to the board for competitive grants for the following purposes:

- (1) Water pollution prevention.
- (2) Water reclamation.
- (3) Water quality improvement.
- (4) Water quality blending and exchange projects.
- (5) Drinking water source protection projects.
- (6) Projects to mitigate pathogen risk from recreational uses at drinking water storage facilities.

(b) Priority shall be given to projects that assist in meeting water quality standards established by the board.

- (c) The Legislature may enact such legislation as is necessary to implement this section.

79540.1. (a) Grants shall be awarded in accordance with Section 79540 on a statewide competitive basis.

(b) To the extent funds appropriated pursuant to Section 79540 are expended for the purposes of programs established under Division 20.4 (commencing with Section 30901) of the Public Resources Code, those funds shall comply with the requirements of that division.